



## **“RomABC the next dimension!” Multipliers Training Event Athens, Greece**

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A **multipliers training** event was successfully implemented by the **Biopolitics International Organisation (B.I.O.)** with the support of the **Ellan Passe** organization in the framework of the **“RomABC the next dimension!”** Erasmus+ project. The training event was part of the project’s pilot phase, which aims to further develop innovative instruments for combating Roma functional illiteracy in Europe.

**Four training sessions** took place on **22/11, 24/11, 29/11** and **1/12/2018**. Each training session was 6 hours long, resulting in a total of **24 training hours**. The training was implemented by B.I.O.’s experts and took place at the Biomedical Research Foundation of the Academy of Athens.

The training event aimed to: i) **deliver new knowledge** regarding the “RomABC the next dimension!” project and its deliverables (IO1-Curriculum for raising the literacy grade of Roma in the fields reading and writing, numeracy, basic skills in the IT field and capability in every-day-life, IO2-Handbook for Trainers for combating functional illiteracy of Roma in Europe, IO3-Vocabulary) to the participants, ii) **train Greek multipliers who will use their knowledge in their jobs/positions** working with the Roma community in Greece on a daily basis.

**Eleven (11) participants successfully completed the training program**. Most participants were **mediators, adult educators and coordinators** from **various fields**, including the **local administration, Greek-Roma Community Centers, the Youth and Lifelong Learning Institute (I.NE.DI.VI.M)**, and **intercultural educational programs for Roma**, as well as programs for immigrants, refugees, vulnerable groups etc.

The Biopolitics International Organisation (B.I.O.) is looking forward to proceeding to the next steps of the project.

For more information: <https://biopolitics.gr/biowp/romabc-next-dimension/>

